

## FINANCE, OIL, GAS AND PRODUCE

## Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 25.—The volume of trading on the local exchange was almost cut in half from the turnover on Monday, but the bulk of the dealings was again contributed by the cheaper mining favorites, which appear to be still quite popular. This group was represented in the market by Cable Consolidated, which sold off four cents, Pittsburgh Consolidated, but suffered in the same manner; Ross Mining held its own, and San Toy was not mentioned, but Silver Peak rose three points at 12 cents a share.

The general list seemed to be somewhat lagging, and most of the standard issues failed to improve for lack of support.

Sales.	Summary.	High.	Low.
165 A W G M	62 1/2	62	62
40 A W G M pf.	130	130	130
450 C R Gas	42 1/2	42	42
17,700 Cable Consol.	89	89	89
90 Fireproof	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
365 Ind. Brew	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
115 La B Iron	77	77	77
31 L Star Gas	91	91	91
190 M L & H	59 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
150 O Fuel Oil	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
150 O Fuel Sup	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
35 Oklaho Gas	85	85	85
15,100 Pbc Consol.	13	13	13
100 Pbc Brew	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
45 P O & G	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
2,450 Pure Oil	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
700 Ross Min	30	30	30
100 R S W Oil	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
500 Silver Peak	12	12	12
205 Sewer Pipe	18	18	18
125 U S Glass	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
80 U S Steel	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
280 West A B	156	156	156
90 West Elec	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
10 West Mach.	32	32	32

## New York

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The approach of the presidential election and attention paid to political considerations were accepted as the most plausible reasons for the irregularity of yesterday's later dealings, after a forenoon of decided strength.

Prices yielded one to two points from their best, declines being effected on comparatively light offerings. The last half of the session was characterized by frequent intervals of lassitude, trading from midday to the close barely amounting to one-third of the total of 1,360,000 shares.

## Oil and Gas.

The search for new producing territory is not bearing fruit. Wildcaters have been fairly busy and have not given up in despair. They are not confining their efforts to the old north-east and south-west trend of the producing formation, but going far in advance.

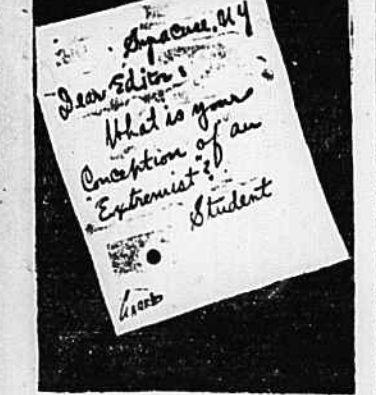
On Scaffold run, Spencer district, Roane county, W. Va., G. L. Cabot drilled his test on the J. H. Burgess farm into the Berea grit. It is a fair gasser with an estimated capacity of 2,000,000 cubic feet a day. On Miller run, in the same district, the South Penn Oil company drilled its test on the J. M. Perrine farm through the same formation. It is a fair gasser, spraying oil at the rate of about five barrels a day.

Shooting the old wells has as a rule a stimulating effect and it is very generally practiced in all fields. In the Weir sand development, on Blue creek, Elk district, Kanawha county, he well shooter is kept busy touching up the old wells. In this development, the South Penn Oil company shot Nos. 13 and 20 on the Anna C. Skinner farm and increased their production from 15 to 55 and from 15 to 25 barrels, respectively.

On Cabin creek, Cabin Creek district, the Ohio Fuel Oil company has started to drill again at its second test on the J. D. Kittenger farm. The same company, while at 900 feet at a test on the C. A. Thomas farm, struck the toll and is fishing.

In Murphy district, Ritchie county, the Southern Oil company, subsidiary of the Pittsburgh Oil and Gas company, has completed No. 12 on the Dawson heirs' farm and it shows for a 20-barrel producer.

In the shallow territory, Burning Springs district, Wirt county, W. F. Hickman's test on the Frank Badger farm and Patterson Bros. No. 20 on the J. C. Hale farm were light pumps. In the Eureka district, Pleasants county, the River Oil com-



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**Big G** is effective in treating hemorrhoids, piles, and other ailments. It is a sure cure and will not irritate. Relieves in 1 to 3 days. Sold by Druggists. Prepared by THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO., CHICAGO, ILL.

pany's No. 3 on the G. S. Russell farm is a duser. Across the line in Ritchie county, McClung & company have a gasser at their test on the George Kelly farm.

On Scotch Lick run, Greenbrier district, Doddridge county, the Hope Natural Gas company drilled No. 16 on the Sainaker heirs' farm into the Big Injun sand. It produced 40 barrels the first 18 hours, and will make a 50 or 60-barrel producer.

## Court News

**Deeds Filed.**  
A. W. Blinn ex ux. to Lou Rowland, real estate in Hamilton addition; consideration, other real estate.  
Jennie Wade to Elizabeth Morris, real estate in Fairmont and Paw Paw districts. \$10 and other consideration.

J. W. Rowland et ux. to A. W. Blinn, real estate in Eighth ward; one dollar and further consideration.  
Nob Hill Company to E. M. Showalter, trustee, real estate in Winfield district; one dollar and further consideration.  
John G. Pritchard et ux. to M. W. Ogden, trustee, real estate in Fairmont development company addition; one dollar and further consideration.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
James E. Myers, 32, colored, and Beatrice Miller, 22, colored, Fairmont. Pleasant Johnson, 42, colored, and Mary Eleanor Mills, 31, colored, Fairmont.  
Thomas Mills, 27, colored, and Ida Penn, 24, widow, colored, Fairmont.

## Checking Up on the Cement Roads

J. W. Johnston, a member of the Highway engineering staff of the Portland Cement Association, is in Fairmont for the purpose of making an examination of streets and roads.

One of the most extensive and scientific studies ever made by any type of road is being conducted by this association of all the concrete roads in the United States. The reports are made on specially prepared blanks so that they will all be of uniform character and will present the information in the most concise form. This information will be tabulated and studied so that of all the various methods that have been used, those that have been given the best results can be noted.

## Thompson Taxes Soon to Be Paid

Information was received here today by parties interested in the affairs of Josiah V. Thompson, of Uniontown, Pa., stating that the Creditors' committee is now making arrangements for the payment of all taxes and the interest on the secured claims to date.

The communication is officially signed by George R. Schugham, secretary of the committee, and should encourage those who are interested in outcome of Mr. Thompson's financial entanglements.

Democratic county officers say they can't stop bootlegging. Elect Republicans who will.

## AN UNUSUAL COUGH REMEDY

Not a Drop of Opiates or Narcotic Drugs in Old Black Joe Cough Syrup.

Most cough remedies contain opiates in some form or another. They paralyze the nerves. They are dangerous. Not so with Old Black Joe Cough Syrup. It goes right down to the irritated spot that is causing the cough, loosens the phlegm and soothes the irritation. And not a drop of opium, chloroform or any kind of narcotic drug is in it. You can give Old Black Joe Cough Syrup to a child as well as to an adult with perfect safety.

Every store sells Old Black Joe Cough Syrup. A big bottle costs only 25 cents.

## Grain and Produce.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Huge export sales of wheat caused prices today to advance to an extent that made any previous quotations since the beginning of the European war look cheap. The market closed strong, 1 1/2 to 4 1/2 c net higher, with December at \$1.78 1/2 to \$1.79 1/2 and May at \$1.78 1/2 to \$1.79 1/2. Other leading staples, too, all scored gains—corn 1 1/4 to 2 c, oats 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 c, and provisions 7 c to \$1.40.

	Open.	Close.
December	\$1.74 1/2	\$1.78 1/2
May	1.74 1/2	1.78 1/2
Corn	.88 1/2	.89 1/2
December	.88 1/2	.89 1/2
May	.88 1/2	.89 1/2
Oats	.53 1/2	.54 1/2
December	.53 1/2	.54 1/2
May	.53 1/2	.54 1/2

## Wickersham Talks About the Tariff

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., Oct. 25.—Former Attorney General George W. Wickersham addressed a crowd which packed the court house here last night. He was introduced by Mayor Gordon and dwelt chiefly on the tariff.

The Harrison County Hughes club, with drum corps and band, met Wickersham and escorted him to the hotel and later to the court house. He will speak at Sistersville with Judge Robinson, candidate for governor, tonight, and Thursday night at Point Pleasant. Wickersham predicted a plurality of 100,000 for Hughes in New York and the election of the whole Republican ticket in that state.

## Belt Child Dies.

Howard Eugene Belt, aged 6 weeks, died last evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Belt, on Thirteenth street. The child had been ill since last Saturday. The mother of the baby was Miss Stella Margaret Arnold. The funeral was held this afternoon at the residence, Rev. W. J. Eddy, officiating and interment was made in Woodlawn cemetery by Undertaker Fred Jenkins.

## CELERY-MIST FINE FOR HEADACHE

Costs Only 5c a Package at any Store.

If you suffer from headache or neuralgia it will cost you only 5 cents to buy one of the best remedies on the market. Don't judge the quality by the low price. "Celery-Mist" is equal in its superior to the highest priced remedies. Gives relief and comfort in a few minutes. Every store sells "Celery-Mist." One trial will convince you of its merits.



"And they brought him home"

These grey hairs came when they brought Will home, after the fire. Afterward, it was all I could do to pull myself together and think of some way to keep the children and not break up the home. Will was a good husband and it was not his fault we couldn't save much money. He was more than good—he was thoughtful. I found, then, that he'd taken out the AETNA TEN DOLLAR COMBINATION POLICY and that I was to have over \$8000 for it. Just think!—it cost him only \$10 a year!

## AETNA-IZE

—so little he never talked about it—and it brought this windfall to me! You never can tell when an accident may come. I'm sure if you told your Jack about it, Mrs. Rogers, he wouldn't rest until he'd gone straight to the agent—

Charles G. Hood  
District Agent.  
TRUST COMPANY BUILDING.

## NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS FOR 1916

I will give 2 1/2 per cent discount to persons paying all of their taxes at the Sheriff's office in October or November, or at the places named on the following dates in October or November of said year:

MONONGAHE, Grant District, Wednesday, October 11.  
ELDORA, Grant District, Thursday, 12 to 5 P. M., October 12.  
BOOTHSVILLE, Grant District, Thursday 2 to 5 P. M., October 12.  
FAIRVIEW, Paw Paw district, Friday and Sat., October 13 & 14.  
BURNER'S SCHOOL HOUSE, Winfield district Monday until 1 P. M., October 16.  
WINFIELD, Winfield district, Monday 2 to 5 P. M., October 16.  
WILLIAMS SCHOOL HOUSE, Union district, Tuesday October 17.  
GLOVER'S GAP, Mannington district, Wednesday, October 18.  
JOYTOWN, Mannington district, Thursday, October 19.  
JOYMER, Mannington district, Friday, October 20.  
MANNINGTON CITY, Mannington district, Saturday, October 21 and every Saturday thereafter.  
STURM'S MILLS, Lincoln district, Monday, October 23.  
DOWNS, Lincoln district, Tuesday, October 24.  
WORTHINGTON, Lincoln district, Wednesday, October 25.  
FARMINGTON, Lincoln district, Friday and Sat., Oct. 27 & 28.  
PALATINE, Union Ind. district, Friday & Sat., Nov. 10 & 11.  
FAIRMONT, Fairmont district, every day beginning Nov. 15.  
Interest will be charged at the rate of 10 per cent on all taxes not paid by December 31, 1916.

C. D. CONAWAY, Sheriff of Marion Co.

## L. S. GILLESPIE OF ELIZABETH FOR NERV-WORTH

Tonic Gives Grateful User Power to Resume Work.

The trade in Nerv-Worth continues to extend itself throughout West Virginia. This means continued inflow of grateful statements in Nerv-Worth's behalf. Here's one of that kind from Elizabeth:

"I was so weak and bad that I could scarcely do anything, but after taking two bottles of Nerv-Worth I am now able to get around much better and can do quite a little more work."

"Nerv-Worth surely has helped me considerably."

Yours truly,  
L. S. GILLESPIE,  
Elizabeth, W. Va.

Your dollar back at Crane's Drug Store, Fairmont. If Nerv-Worth does not benefit YOU.

## SPECIAL NOTICES

## CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA.

A Proclamation by the Governor.  
I, Henry D. Hatfield, Governor of the State of West Virginia, pursuant to the constitution and laws of said State, announcing to the voters of the State of West Virginia that, on Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixteen, there will be submitted for ratification or rejection an amendment to the Constitution of said State as follows, to-wit:

**Proposed Amendment.**  
That Section one of Article four of said Constitution as it now is be altered and amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 1. The citizens of the State, both male and female, shall be entitled to vote at all elections held within the counties in which they respectively reside; but no person who is a minor or of unsound mind, or a pauper, or who is under conviction of treason, felony, or bribery in an election, or who has not been a resident of the state for one year, and of the county in which he or she offers to vote, for sixty days next preceding such offer, shall be permitted to vote while such disability continues; but no person in the military, naval or marine service of the United States shall be deemed a resident of this state by reason of being stationed therein."

The proposed amendment is designated as "Woman's Suffrage Amendment" and on the official ballot to be voted at said election will be printed the following:

## BALLOT ON CONSTITUTIONAL WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT.

Amending Section one of Article 4. For ratification of Woman's Suffrage Amendment.  
Against ratification of Woman's Suffrage Amendment.

Those favoring the ratification of said amendment will vote "For ratification of Woman's Suffrage Amendment."

By the Governor:  
STUART F. REED,  
Secretary of State. Wed. K11-2

## Swollen Ankles and Feet Are Indications of Kidney Trouble



Swollen ankles and feet are forms of a drooping condition, due to disordered kidneys. Naturally when the kidneys are deranged the blood is filled with poisonous waste matter, which settles in the feet, ankles and wrists; or under the eyes in bag-like formations.

It is just as necessary to keep the kidneys acting properly as to keep the bowels active, says an eminent physician. When one is sick the first thing to be done is to thoroughly test the kidney secretions.

The very best possible way to take care of yourself is to take a little "Anuric" with the meals. In this way it is readily dissolved with the food, picked up by the blood and finally reaches the kidneys, where it has a tonic effect in rebuilding these organs.

"Anuric" was recently discovered by Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y.; it has been thoroughly tested, in his laboratory as well as in his "Invalids' Hotel," where everyone who quickly associates Dr. Pierce with his great herbal restorative tonic, known as an invigorator for woman's ills.

A different person daily offers his or her words of praise of "Anuric." Now Mr. W. R. Bray speaks:

"I am appealing to those who are bothered with backache and a constant tired, worn-out feeling to give 'Anuric' a trial. I suffered from backache, swelling of hands and feet, frequent urination from the kidneys and many other symptoms. Was unable to work, but after taking just one box of Doctor Pierce's Anuric, according to directions, I am again able and 'O. K.' Step into the drug store and ask for a 50c package of 'Anuric,' or send Dr. Pierce 10c for trial package. 'Anuric' is 37 times more potent than lithium."

At all dealers—Accept no substitute

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ment" and those opposing will vote "Against ratification of Woman's Suffrage Amendment."

Given under my hand and the great seal of the State, at the Capitol this eighth day of August, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixteen and of the State the Fifty-fourth.

By the Governor:  
HENRY D. HATFIELD,  
Secretary of State.  
Wed. K Nov. 6.

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**Proposed Amendment.**  
That Section twenty-three of Article eight of said Constitution as it now is be altered and amended so as to read as follows:

"Section twenty-three. The commissioners shall be elected by the voters of the county, and hold their office for the term of six years, except at the first meeting of said commissioners they shall be designated by lot, or otherwise, in such manner as they may determine, one of their number who shall hold his office for a term of two years, one for four years and one for six years, so that one shall be elected every two years. But no two of said commissioners shall be elected from the same magisterial district. But if two or more persons residing in the same district shall receive the greater number of votes cast at any election, then only the one of such persons receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected, and the person living in another district who shall receive the next highest number of votes shall be declared elected. Said commissioners shall annually elect one of their number as president, and each shall receive four dollars per day for his services in court, to be paid out of the county treasury; provided, however, that said payment of four dollars per day shall not exceed the sum of four hundred dollars per year for each commissioner; and provided, further, that such compensation may be increased in any county by the assent of a majority of the votes cast on the question at any general or special election."

The proposed amendment is designated as "County Court Amendment" and on the official ballot to be voted at said election will be printed the following:

## BALLOT ON CONSTITUTIONAL COUNTY COURT AMENDMENT.

Amending Section twenty-three of Article eight.  
For ratification of County Court Amendment.  
Against ratification of County Court Amendment.

Those favoring the ratification of said amendment will vote "For Ratification of County Court Amendment;" and those opposing will vote "Against Ratification of County Court Amendment."

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the state at the Capitol, this seventh day of August, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixteen, and of the state the Fifty-fourth.

By the Governor:  
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Secretary of State. Wed. K11-2

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## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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## LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Monday morning on Main street, Eastern Star pin. Reward if returned to Mrs. E. B. Hopkins, 435 Jefferson St. 10-25-16 No. 1549

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Woman to wash and iron. Apply at once 710 Walnut Ave. 9-12-16. No. 1415

WANTED—Good girl for kitchen and dining room work only. Apply Mary Clayton, Cleveland avenue, rear Suffrette Home. 10-18-16 No. 1533

WANTED—Kitchen girl. Apply Dairy Lunch, 229 Jefferson street. 10-24-16 No. 1544

## HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Four (4) pick miners. Good pay. Work every day. Apply at mine. McCoy Coal Company, Coal Run. 10-23-16 No. 1542

AUTOMOBILES, ACCESSORIES FOR SALE—Ford Roadster or will trade for lot. Inquire Gillespie's store. 10-25-16 No. 1550

## FARMS FOR SALE

VIRGINIA FARMS FOR SALE—Learn all about Virginia soil, climate, products, etc., by reading Virginia Farmer. Send 10c for four months' subscription to the Farmer company, Dept. 60, Emporia, Va. 10-16-16 No. 1522

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FOR SALE—Farm of 160 acres. This is one of the best stock and grain farms in Eastern Ohio. Mostly all level. Well watered with good springs, fine buildings, barn 90 feet long, with large straw shed and silo, running water in shed. One of best and most extensive farm houses in the county. Farm lies 4 miles north of Minerva and 8 miles south of Alliance and one mile to a good railroad town on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh R. R. Price \$8,000. Write D. E. Tomlinson, Bayard, O. 10-18-16 No. 1529

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Large livery barn rear of Court House. Call Bell 444. 6-16-16.

FOR RENT—Six room house. Apply 442 Monroe Street. Consol Phone 766 Y. 10-23-16 No. 1541

## HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four-room cottage. Apply 281 View avenue. Consol phone 314-Y. 10-24-16 No. 1545

## WANTED

WANTED OLD FALSE TEETH. Don't matter if broken. I pay \$1.00 to \$5.00 per set. Mail to L. Mazer, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 10-25-16 No. 1548

## FINANCIAL

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THE PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK.

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This bank is the largest National Bank in West Virginia because the confidence of the depositors and the cooperation of its officers and directors have made it such.

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The public's confidence in this bank has brought thousands of dollars of the people's money out of hiding places and put it in circulation while earning interest.

**The NATIONAL BANK FAIRMONT, WEST VA.**

## ROOMS—FURNISHED

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply Mary Clayton, Cleveland Ave. opposite Model Bakery. 10-24-16 No. 1546

## FLATS AND APARTMENTS

FOR RENT—Two flats in Hays Building, Monroe street.